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On 23—2—1961 Sri G. D. Naidu, President, the Industrial Labour Welfare Association Ltd., Coimbatore arranged a Tea-party at 'Gopal Bagh', Coimbatore in honour of the visit of Lady and Charles Cunningham from London and Dr. Ernzt Maus and Mrs. Mauz from Esslingen, West Germany.

Sri G. D. Naidu welcoming the chief guests and others, said that he had the acquaintance of Sir Charles Cunningham and Dr. Mauz for many years past and that they were of great help to him in various ways.

Sir Charles Cunningham thanked for the hospitality and paid a high tribute to Mr. Naidu that he is a wonderful product of this country and he is an able, capable, enterprising gentleman. He referred to the very well organised bus service and said that it was a very great service for the people and the country. He added that Mr. Naidu has made researches in the fields of engineering, medical and horticulture and achieved marvellous results. The technical training qiven by Mr. Naidu to the

students and apprentices in his institutions and also the facilities afforded by him for the trainees in foreign countries was highly commendable, he concluded.

Mr. Mauz, while heartily thanking Mr. Naidu for his hospitality, made appreciative reference to his technical talents, generosity, human kindness and patriotism and said that many young Indians should take a great lesson from Mr. Naidu. He paid a compliment that Mr. Naidu is a prototype for all because he shows how to manage life in an useful sense.

He also said that the researches conducted by Mr. Naidu in Siddha medicines have produced excellent results and that he had analysed some of the medicines and found them very effective.

Dr. Mauz Expressed the hope that Mr. Naidu would meet with further success in his selfless work which he has been carrying on for the benefit of the citizens and his country.

Speech by

Sri G. D. NAIDU.

Dear Friends,

I am glad to welcome our friends Sir Charles Cunnigham and Lady Cunningham from London and Dr. Mauz and Mrs. Mauz from Esslingen near Stuttgart in West Germany.

I want to mention here in what connection they are here and with what purpose this meeting is arranged.

I can tell briefly that this party is arranged to express our gratitude for the help given by them to us. But to honour the guests these few words are not sufficient, even hours together are not sufficient, because they have done such valuable assistance to us. Most of our guests here are not aware of it. In return for their help and service, it is my duty to tell here what they have done and what benefit we have got atleast briefly in this short time.

You know Sir Charles Cunningham was here as District Superintendent of Police, then Commissioner of Police, Madras, then lastly the Inspector-General of Police, when the 3 States – Madras, Andhra and Kerala were

combined together as Madras Presidency. At the very first instance, I went to him when he was D. S. P. at Madura on a New Year's Day about 40 years back. I had no idea as to how to see the officers. Usually on the New Year day friends will visit the important people who are in Christian Religion. They will take flowers, garland and lime fruits, in the first instance garland and give the fruits and shake hands. I did not know all these and at that time I did not know English language also. I saw many friends who came with garlands and saw him in the morning. I went for a brake certificate for the bus when I started a passenger transport service with one bus, myself being its driver. He refused to come and inspect the bus and give brake certificate on account of very busy engagement, because he arrived from England only the previous day after a vacation. Then I went to Lady Cunningham, who was in another room and then I gave her too one fruit and garland, when she asked me "who are you? What are you doing"?. I replied and the butler translated.

I told that I had come for a brake certificate from a place 150 miles away and that her husband had refused to inspect the bus and that I was quite new to that place and that I did not know what to do. Then she went to Sir Charles Cunningham and explained my difficulties and then he gave the certificate.

You know in those days Police constables were the rulers in rural villages. When I passed a Police station on the way to Madura, a constable asked me to take his friend in the bus to Madura, which I refused as the bus had no brake certificate or permit. Then the constable made a charge sheet that there was no danger light in the bus.

Main inspection by the officers in the vehicles was with regard to perfection of brakes, steering, head-lights and danger lights. The same morning of the date of the charge sheet, I had got the certificate from the D. S. P. I asked to issue sommons for the D. S. P. as witness. He did not come to the court. Then I gave an application to send a warrant for the D. S. P, to appear in the court. Then the case was withdrawn. From that time our friendship was growing on the one hand. On the other hand fighting also was there for nearly 25 years.

I have no time here to tell all these instances now. There is one letter sent to Government printed in 203 pages in which some instances were given. Still I want to mention one or two instances.

The bus service which I started with one bus had grown to a fleet of 280 buses, which was the biggest transport service in those days,

running with correct time table. It had grown to such an extent with so much efficiency. It is not an exaggeration if I say that it was possible only by the advice, help and support given by Sir Charles Cunningham.

Once Home Minister Sri Pannirselvam appointed me as a member in the Motor vehicles Rules Revision Committee, which was presided over by Sir George Boag.

Sir George Boag refused to accept me as I could not at that time, speak English, though I was able to read and understand English language. But the Minister pressed the appointment and Sir Charles also recommended me strongly and then it was accepted. Then I prepared a Motor Vehicle rules, dictating day and night for 2 days with whole of my experience on the Motor Vehicle rules. Whole of that rules were supported and accepted in to-to, by Sir Charles Cunningham and other members like Mr. Ramachandra Reddy and Mr. Bolton, without any objection except a rule in connection with compulsory insurance which I opposed and also except a rule giving 3 months imprisonment for rash driving which was rejected. A compromise was brought about that the rules would come into force after 5 years. The same rules are still in force but with unnecessary and meaningless amendments with so much of complications.

Then I invited Sir Charles Cunningham to open the Palladam Bus Junction. First he agreed, but when he saw my speeches in which I had criticised his subordinates very vehemently, for example, I read a paragraph taken from that speech:

> "In other countries especially in England a constable means a public servant. But here in India I fear many of our Indian Officers attend to their personal advantages rather than serve the public"

then he told it won't look nice if he were to preside when I was giving such speeches. Then he suggested to invite Sir George Boag. As per his desire Sir George Boag came and opened the bus stand in the presence of Sir Charles Cunningham and many other officers and friends.

In another instance a time-table was printed in which the timings for one line went down due to printing mistake, and 58 buses started 10 minutes earlier or later or so. The buses were running according to speed limit fixed by me on all the roads. Taking this as an offence a District Superintendent of Police filed 58 cases. Then Sir Charles Cunningham, gave me clues as to how to defend the cases. I won all the cases against his subordinates. Still I remember about the interesting instances

such as driving myself a car for the Viceroy and a car for the Members of the Agricultural Commission and a change of seating capacity of buses, allegations and rumours about printing currency notes and many other instances.

I have got also the letters written by Sri C. Rajagopalachari pressing Sir Charles Cunningham to continue in service. I fear there is no time to tell here all these instances in detail.

25 years back when I went to England I had an idea of starting the Automobile industry and some other industries, with the help of foreign collaboration. I did not know how to start the negotiations as I had no experience in such negotiations. Then I asked Sir Charles Cunningham to be as my agent in England for 3 years. He agreed then he went on my behalf to Mercedes Benz in Germany, to Perkins Ltd., in Peterborough, to Dorman & Co., in Stafford, Austin and Joseph Sankey & Co., and Setright Ticket Registers, Victor Projectors, Bell & Howell & Co., and S. K. F. Ball bearing Co. After these negotiations some formulae were arrived at and agreed. But the world War II interfered and we lost the chance of starting the business.

Amongst many letters here is a letter written by him on 28—5—1940.

Then in 1946, himself with a General who was in the field service during war, came here, when I gave them a party. At that time he asked me to come again for negotiation for starting the Automobile and other industries in India. Then in 1950 myself and Dr. Ramaswami Iyer went to England. Again we started the negotiation with many of these firms, but were not finalized. Again myself, Dr. C. S. Ramaswami Iyer and Mr. R. V. Swaminathan went there and the negotiations were finalized. When I applied for licences for all these industries, licences were refused on account of one flimsy reason of the Income-tax. But some others started such as Mr. Saran of Asokh Motors, Mr. Anantharamakrishnan and Mr. Ladden of M/s. Simpson & Co., Guest Kein Williams and lastly Tata Company started the factories, which were negotiated, even during 1938-39 by the influence of Sir Charles Cunningham.

Lastly some of these companies in England and Germany asked me to be a Director in the Indian Companies. I had to refuse it because I had been made as an untouchable scheduled caste man in Industries by way of attachment of every bit of my wealth and all shares in my name. With all these troubles and obstacles, almost all the industries were started here by some friends though not by me. Two industries viz. manufacture of Setright Automatic ticket

issuing machines and Cine Projectors manufacturing were not started, though negotiations were started about 20 years back.

Then from 1954, we again started these two negotiations.

To start these two industries for which I have since got licences, it has been dragging on for the last 6 years. Finally everything has been completed for starting these 2 industries. What amount of efforts he took in his whole service in India, so much of efforts he had taken to finalize these two schemes in England. He gave tremendous help with his influence, to see often many friends connected with this line. Ofcourse I cannot forget the help given by Mr. Beer of W. J. Groom & Co., who is a friend of mine for more than 30 years, then Mr. Armalin of Chambon Ltd., then Mr. Rogerson, Mr. Cole and Mr. Zork of E. K. Cole Ltd., Mr. Rose, Mr. Schwarts and his brothers, Mr. Freeman, Mr. Adshed, Mr. Carter, Mr. Parson, Mr. Driessen of Setright Registers Ltd., Mr. Schmidtmann, Mr. Stoll, Mr. Wilhelm of Germany, Mr. Giese all worked and helped me to get the best machinery and equipment at the cheapest price and the "knew how" without any charges. Amongst them Mr. Parson, Mr. Carter, Mr. Armeline, Mr. Huxley and Mr. Dreison had been here. Lastly Mr. Mc Mahon of E. K.

Cole Ltd., had been here and gave many instructions and trained several of our young workers and left for England the day before yesterday. How Sir Charles Cunningham and all other friends gave these tremendous helps will be narrated in some other pamphlets which will come out with the history of these industries. Hence I don't want to take much of your time here.

Now I want to mention here something about Dr. Mauz and Mrs. Mauz.

35 years back the Automobile parts and other materials were imported here and sold for atleast 5 to 10 times the cost price. At that time I imported Dodge parts from America, assembled 15 vehicles and registered here as buses at the cost of less than half of the Indian market price. Then gaskets were imported from Germany which costed 1/10th of the selling price here. When I visited that gasket manufacturing factory in Germany, I met Mr. Schmidtmann who was there for translation of language and he was also the sales manager for export for that company. By his friendship I made the smallest Electric motor and went to the Razor blade factory for training. Subsequently in 1935, electric razors and blades and blade manufacturing machines were also made here. One of the machines made in those days is kept here on our left side.

The blades were given the Ist prize in the Leipzig Exhibition for the quality and yet there is no blade to compete with that in quality.

Until War started these razors and blades were sold in England, Germany, Canada and Australia, though not in India.

Until 1950 there were only a few friends in Germany other than Mr. Schmidtmann. First I went to Germany on the invitation from the Continental Tyre Co., people and then on the invitation from Mercedez Benz.

When I went to Germany in 1950, Mr. Schmidtmann took me to a workshop where I saw a gas plant with a car run by wooden fuel, instead of charcoal, demonstrated and trial given to me to ride in Berlin in 1936. I wanted to buy this gas plant, but I had only a few pounds given in exchange for Germany, then hard currency area, the amount was already spent in other countries and I had no money to buy this gas plant. Then we went to Mr. G. Stoll. Mr. Schmidtmann asked on behalf of me and Mr. Stoll gave the amount, without any hesitation, even though I had never met him before, but I had imported one of his machines after the first world war. Within the last 5 or 6 years, we received many licences for industrial machines. As per the German export terms, we have to pay 1/3

advance along with the order. But the terms of our Reserve Bank is that any amount could be paid only after shipping the goods In such case Mr. Stoll advanced money in thousands of rupees upto a lakh without any reference or guarantee. By this way we were able to import all the machines with 5% to 10% and in some cases with higher percentage of less price.

Ten years back by chance I got the help of Dr. Major B. P. B. Naidu and he stayed here until his death last year. He was an eminent and A-1 Pathologist amongst the pathologists of the world. By his tremendous work and with my little knowledge in agriculture and indigenous herbs and some medicines for Leucorrhoea and Diabetes were brought out.

Though by persuation, thousands of cases in Leucorrhoea and a few cases of diabetes and Asthma were cured here no one, either the Doctors or patients took any interest in the remedies.

Then an article about one of these medicines was published in "Free India" weekly. A German Dr. who read this article wrote to our Union Health Minister for the particulars and then we gave the particulars. When I met this Doctor, I gave these medicines. These medicines were made as food. For some reasons they are made as bulky as food and not reduced to pills or liquid

form. After a few patients were cured in Germany, one Dr. Eubert asked me to supply this medicine in large quantity on commercial scale. In 1955 I made a speech there and gave this food to some more patients. Some doctors like Dr. Fritz Faulhabber, Dr. Smoll, Dr. Engelen and others expressed their willingness, to use these medicines. In foreign countries it is very difficult to introduce a new medicine or food, unless they have very strong support by the medical people or other experts. Then Mr. Schmidtmann and Mr. Stoll introduced me to Dr. Mauz who is sitting here. For 2 or 3 generations their family is continuing the medical profession. They are manufacturing medicines in Allopathy as well as Homoeopathy. When I gave this Diabetic food, he was kind enough to analyse and give the report. For analysing anything in foreign countries, it is very costly. I gave some medicines to Pfyzier Co., of New York, for research and I was told that the research for each item would cost about 5,000 Dollars and more. While there is such heavy cost for analysing, Dr. Mauz did not ask anything for analysing our medicines.

He has got his medical practice in a fine building, which may beat the most beautiful living quarters, where he manufactures medicines. Once I went to his pharmacy in the busy centre of Esslingen, in the front with

a breadth of this hall with 3 storeys. When we came down to the cellers, which were with an area and extent equal to 4 or 5 buildings, in which million rupees worth of bottles, containers and shelves alone were kept – I don't know how much will cost or would have been spent to collect so many things connected with medicine, nutrition and health materials. He has got all kinds of medicinal herbs, food. plants, cereals preserved in perfect condition, I asked for "Coriander", "Karuvappillai", "Thulasi", pepper and whatever we wanted either leaves or grains, he brought and showed them. Then you can imagine the tremendous efforts and the value of his work. Then once, to show the effectiveness of our medicines, I took a medicine grinding stone ("Kalvam") from here and I got some leaf juice in the garden in front of this place and mixed with gold and burnt into ash as we call "ஸ்புடம்" or "பஸ்பம்". This was demonstrated in the presence of Dr. Mauz, many other doctors and friends. This ash "பஸ்பம்" was given to Dr. Mauz. He analysed and he gave his report. After knowing this there is very good demand for Dia Dietic Food, Leuco Dietic Food and other preparations.

Subsequently some Doctors from Tubingen promised and were ready to come down here and work in our native medicine particularly in the cancer line during last year itself.

Of course their visit was postponed because suitable microscope which will cost 150 thousand rupees was not available.

Last year I have taken some more medicines made here with the help of some Doctors pills for cancer, pills for hemorrhoids and pills for Asthma, Karuvelan powder (cf all parts of the tree) modified 'Vep' oil, வேப் பெண்ணெய் Idli powder and some other oils, some herbs such as "சதசஞ்சீவினி, மயூரசிகி" etc obtained from Kotagiri, Siruvani Hills, Thirupathi Hills, identified and picked out by Balraj Maharishi of Rajhamundry were given in Germany and also sent to New York for research purpose.

Further I left with this Doctor some medicines given by Dr. Kondal Rao of Indian Medical Practitioners' Co-operative Pharmacy Ltd, Madras, who also visited Dr. Mauz's factory and several other factories in Europe. All the medicines were manufactured by the South Indian Medical Practitioners Co operative Pharmacy Ltd., Madras. Unfortunately I forgot to give the indications of these medicines. In the last month he has asked for the indications of the following numbers:- (list attached) I am giving now the indications.

2	4	5	6	9	11	12	13
8	15	15	16	32	47	57	66
51	83	85	89	181	273	53	113

In all my trips, more than 5 times to U. S. A., 10 times to Britain and more than 25 times to Germany, I have made thousands of friends. Amongst them I visited and invited the following friends to give me a return visit to our country, to this place, to stay here atleast for 2 or 3 weeks escaping their heavy winter. These friends are: Dr. Mauz, Mrs. Mauz, and Mrs. and Mr. Schmidtmann, Mrs. and Mr. Stoll, Mrs. and Mr. Ruckle and some business friends in Hahn and Kolb, Unversagt, Boley Linen, Rumag, Frederick Deckal & Co., Overbeck, Friedmann & Maier, and Dr. Engelen, Mr. Pischel, Mr. S. Moyses.

Then from England, Mr. F. Perkins, Sir Charles and Lady Cunningham, Mrs and Mr. Beer, Mrs. and Mr. Rogerson, Mr. Armelin, Mr Dreison, Mr. Freeman, Mr. Adshead, Mr. Carter.

Then from U. S. A., Mr. Rose, Mr. Schwartz and brother, Mr. Steinmity, Mrs. and Mr. Fred Meyor.

Amongst all of them Mr. Perkins, Mr. Dreissen and Mr. Armelin had been here already. Now Sir Charles and Lady Cunningham and Mrs. and Dr. Mauz have come down here and are with us now. They have kept up their promise. All other have failed to keep up their promises. I am going

to send them reminders. I do not know in what way we have to return or to show our gratitude.

I am sorry I am not able to say anything else except by saying these few words to show our gratitude for the greatest Service we got from them. Perhaps they may say it is a very little work.

I thank you again for coming here and honouring us by your presence in this party to meet all our old friends in a happy gathering like this here.

I THANK YOU ALL.

Speech by

Sir CHARLES CUNNINGHAM

Mr. Naidu, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I am not going to say very much - very little in fact - because I know you will all be very impatient to hear about those wonderful developments in medical research, which Mr. Naidu has been achieving with the collaboration and help of Dr. and Mrs. Mauz. There are some very interesting things which will interest all of us. Men are less conjured and I am not going to tresspass that.

Mr. Naidu is a very old and good friend of mine - he was so, one of the very best and in those, he was telling you a number of stories, some were a little bit amusing, but a good sign probably they are facts too. But what I would say about is my advert with Mr. Naidu very closely in this country through very many years and you see he has told you even after I retired in the business field in Europe and in England and we have travelled very far together and one thing is we have always got on together so well - even some times perhaps he has dreamt of me and sometimes perhaps I too have dreamt as to blame him. But I would say that he is a

very wonderful product of this country of yours. (Cheers). He has worked up and I was associated with that and am delighted to find such an able and capable enterprising gentleman taking that and interest in organising such a wonderful bus service, which he has organised for the benefit of the public of this district, I am sorry, surroundings. That was a very great service for his country.

But not content to stop there, I think which because you all know ofcourse, Mr. Naidu is not a college man - he is a man self educated largely - but he took to engines and to the field of engineering in its worst complicated aspect and himself alone achieved the knowledge and the skill and understanding of these complicated subjects that the highest university professors even to-day admire. That is a fact. That is what only few man could have accomplished. Beyond all that he went how ever and to-day in the fields he is interested namely in the field of Horticultural research, in the field of engineering research, and in the field of medical research - he has achieved the most marvellous results which is known to everyone here and indeed is known to people in very many countries in the greater world outside. He is a great Indian, undoubtedly so, and I had always been very proud to have his friendship and to be praised by him in something that necessarily I find

pleasing and I have got to thank him very much. I have only - my wife and I are only spending - are only able to spend one week in south here where we lived and worked so many years and were very happy and we have very many ties. We have with great difficulty come down here to-day from Madras to spend two days out of one week because I have to see so many old friends and so many places that I love to see again which are not at all possible to see. But it has been a very very great pleasure and a great honour indeed to be asked to come down here and to have this wonderful party organised for our sake largely atleast and I do thank you Sir, very very much indeed.

Then I said I was not going to retain you. Oh! The technical college of G. D. is well known I think throughout India and it is succeeding to an extent - it is a wonderful piece of philanthropic public work in India and it is rarely to be equalled in any country, I think and the boys who are coming through it with technical knowledge I am sure will live to syndicate Mr. Naidu and to make themselves benignant members in India for ever.

Well I thank you G. D. for your party - I thank for your party (Laughter) I thank you for your party - I thank you again very very much - we had been friends for many years and I could never forget these things.

Now I shall ask my better to speak something interesting I am sure it will convey interesting things to you but it will be more interesting to hear about the developments in the medical field than the achievements in other fields by Mr Naidu.

Thank you all very much for coming here to-day and thank you all for listening so patiently (Cheers) to all manner of attempt to say to you (Cheers).

By Sri G. D. Naidu: I forgot to tell something here about both of them. When I take students from here 5, 10, 8, like that I take with me or send from here with introduction letters to them and they are looked after well in London by Sir Charles Cunningham and Dr. Mauz also in Germany – they are look after very well very carefully and that one I did not tell before.

Ansprache von

E. MAUZ

bei der Tea Party am 23—2—61
in "Gopal Bagh", Coimbatore, India.

Lieber Mr. Naidu, meine Damen und Herrn!

Es ist mir eine Ehre und ein Vergnuegen, Mr. Naidu fuer diese Einladung zu danken, nachdem er uns schon so viel Liebenswuerdigkeiten erwiesen hat. Haben wir doch hier Gelegenheii, zu den vielen, wertvollen Menschen, die wir wchon in Indien kennengelernt haben, noch weitere Bekanntschaften zu machen. Wir freuen uns aber auch, eine Gelegenheit zu haben, Mr. Naidu sehr herzlich fuer seine grosszuegige Gastfreundschaft zu danken, die wir hier geniessen duerfen.

Als wir vor einigen Jahren Mr. Naidu in unserer Heimatstadt in Esslingen a. N. in West Deutschland kennen lernten, sahen wir gleich, dass wir as mit ciner aussergewoehnlichen Persoenlichkeit zu tun hatten. Mehr und mehr erfuhren, wir im Laufe der Zeit, von den vielen Unternehmungen, die er geschaffen und grossgemacht hat, aber erst hier in Coimbatore koennen wir ermessen, wie schoepferisch und vielseitig er ist. Dabei geht es ihm nicht darum, moeglichst viel Geld zu verdienen, und sich ein schoenes Leben zu machen.

Im Gegenteil: Die ersten Tage meines hiesigen Aufenthalts hat er mir sein Zimmer xur Verfuegung gestellt. Nie in meinem Leben habe ich in einem so harten Bett geschlafen! Und in diesem Bett goennt er sich nie mehr als 4 Stunden Schlaf! Seine taegliche Nahrung besteht fast nur aus Reis u. Joghurt. Wie koennte er sich das Laben schoen machen in seinem Besitztum in Ooty, einem der schoensten Plaetze der Welt, der unter dem Namen: Koenigin der Hoehenluftkurorte bekannt ist. Wir wissen, er wuerde dort nicht lange gluecklich sein. Ihm geht es um die Aufwaertsentwicklung seines geliebten Indiens. Seine grosse technische Begabung, seine Weltkenntnis, seine praktische Veranlagung setzt er ein, um die Selbststaendigkeit und Unabhaengigkeit seine Volkes zu vergroessern. Seine Grosszuegigkeit, seine menschliche Guete und Vaterlandsliebe verschafft vielen Landsleuten die Moeglichkeit, im Ausland sich weiterzubilden u. hier ohne grosse Ausgaben zu studieren. Man hat den Eindruck, dass er unfaehig ist, Negatives oder Unnuetzes zu denken. Sein Geist – immer produktiverfasst rasch, wo etwas fehlt, sei es ein Staudamm, eine Schule, eine neue Fabrik. Glaubt man, er ruhe sich einmal aus, so plant er bestimmt eine neue Anlage fuer heilsame Kraeuter, oder eine Polyklinik. Er ist uns Allen ein Vorbild, weil er uns zeigt, wie man sein Leben nuetzen kann.

Mit Mr. Naidu bin ich seit Jahren durch eine gemeinsame Neigung fuer pflanzliche Arzneimittel und natuerliche Heilweisen verbunden. Wir haben auf diesem Gebiet auch schon zusammen gearbeitet. Er gab mir sein Mittel gegen Diabetes zur pharmazeutischen und klinischen Pruefung, die erfolg reich verlaufen ist. Sicher wirken solche Mittel hier, wo man vorwiegend vegetarisch lebt, **noch** staerker. Auch seine Arznei, in welcher Gold in Pflanzensaft auf altindische Art geloest wird, wurde in meinen Laboratorien untersucht und fesfgestellt, hass das Gold tatsaechlich in eine geloeste, vom Koerper resorbierbare Form umgewandelt ist.

Lassen Sie mich zum Schluss meiner Ausfuehrungen kommen. Ich Wuensche Mr. Naidu, dem Schaffen und Gestalten Lebenselement ist, dass er noch viele Jahre bei bester Gesundheit sein Werk fort u. aufwaerts fuehren kann, und dass ihm nicht nur jede Enttaeuschung aus seiner Lebens arbeit erspart bleibeh, sondern immer neue Befriedigung daraus erwachsen moege, damit er eines Tages gluecklich auf dieses reiche Leben zurueckblicken kann.

Fuer Ihre Aufmerksamkeit, meine Damen und Herrn danke ich Ihnen.

English translation of the speech
delivered by

Dr. MAUZ,

of Esslingen, West Germany.

Mr. Naidu, Ladies and Gentlemen,

We are very grateful that Mr. Naidu had invited us to a tea-party, besides all his amiabitities towards Mrs. Mauz and myself. We take thereby the occasion to make acquaintances besides the many worthy men we have met till now in India. But we are too very glad to take the opportunity to thank Mr. Naidu from all our hearts for his generous hospitality which we enjoy here very much. As we had the privilege, several years ago to become acquainted with Mr. Naidu in Esslingen in West Germany, we saw at once that he is an extraordinary man. In the course of time we heared more and more about his many achievements – but only here in Coimbatore we can see he is productive and versatile. All his activities have not the purpose to earn mnch money to enjoy life. He doesn't sleep more than 4 hours daily and he lives chiefly from rice and yoghurt. And he could enjoy life so much in his residence in Ooty, one of

the most beautiful places of the world, which is known as the "Queen of Hill Stations". We know he would not happy there for a long time.

He cares only for the development of his country. He uses all his technical talents, his experiences, his practical sense to increase the self sufficiency of India and his people. His generosity, his human kindness and patriotism gives many young Indians the possibility to learn in fereign countries and to study without great expense.

We have the impression, that his thoughts are never negative or useless, but always productive ones, as the foundation of a college or a school the erection of a new factory or dam and if we think he rests, than he plans a new garden with medical plants or a polytechnic. He is prototype for all of us, because he shows, how to manage life in a useful sense.

Since several years I am connected with Mr. Naidu in a common attachment for vegetable medicaments and natural medical treatments. With regard to this we worked already together. He gave me his medicaments for diabetes for pharmaceutical and clinical test, which was successful. I am sure that these medicaments show still a better effect in India, where most peeple are vegetarians. Although his medicament which contains gold

dissolved in vegetable sap in an old Indian manner was tested in my laboratory and we found that Gold really was converted in a dissolved form, which the body can take up.

May I conclude with the wish that Mr. Naidu to whom to work and to produce are the chief elements of life, may still live a very long time in the best of health and spirits to continue his great work. May he never be disappointed and may he at last look back with content on his life well spent for the benefit of his citizens and his country.

Thank you for your attention.